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Mayoral polls DELAYED?

Tenure of Mayor Sunanda Palanetra and Dy. Mayor Anwar Baig ends tomorrow

Mysuru, Feb. 23 (MTY & DM)- With just a day left for the completion of the tenure of the incumbent City Mayor Sunanda Palanetra of the BJP, the Mayoral polls to elect the new Mayor and the Deputy Mayor may get delayed as the Government is yet to announce the reservation matrix for the Mayoral polls.

The tenure of Sunanda Palanetra and Deputy Mayor Anwar Baig will end tomorrow (Feb. 24) and under normal circumstances, the Government would have announced the reservation Matrix for electing the new Mayor and the Deputy Mayor. But that has not happened, with the Government busy with Budget preparations and hence, in all probability, the Mayoral polls is unlikely to take place this month. The delay would mean that Sunanda and Baig would continue in their post as in-charge until the new incumbents are elected.

Meanwhile, with Mayoral polls not forthcoming soon, all the three major parties — BJP, Congress and JD(S) — seem to be playing a waiting game. Now, all the three parties are keenly awaiting the reservation matrix, which is yet to be announced by the Government. Political activities will gain momentum after the reservation matrix is announced.

This time, chances are high that the BJP may support the JD(S) in the Mayoral polls, in order to keep out Congress from power. In the last Mayoral polls held on Aug.25, 2021, JD(S) had indirectly helped BJP by fielding its own candidate, which resulted in the city getting the first BJP Mayor in Sunanda Palanetra.

Rukmini Madegowda of the JD(S) was elected as the Mayor and Anwar Baig of the Congress as the Deputy Mayor, when the two parties had an alliance for the Mayoral polls held in Feb.2021. But the High Court in May 2021 disqualified Rukmini Madegowda as a Corporator on charges that she had submitted false affidavit on the assets she owned when she had filed her nomination for the MCC polls held in 2018.

Following her disqualification, the Mayor post became vacant and Deputy Mayor Anwar Baig functioned as the in-charge Mayor until Sunanda Palanetra was elected on Aug. 25, 2021.

Stolen gold, silver worth Rs. 24 lakh recovered

Three chain-snatchers, two burglars adept in inter-district crimes arrested

Mysuru, Feb. 23 (KS)- Chasing chain-snatchers and burglars, the City Crime Branch (CCB) sleuths have arrested five criminals who were experts in inter-district crimes. They have records in Police Stations of Bengaluru and Hassan. Arresting them has enabled the Police to recover gold and silver articles worth Rs. 24 lakh.

Acting on a tip-off, the CCB sleuths took three persons who were found moving suspiciously in front of a wine store on Ashoka Road on Feb. 20. They turned out to be chain-snatchers and were subjected to intense interrogation. They confessed to snatching gold chains in Mysuru city and in Mandya district.

Based on the information provided by the accused, the CCB Police recovered five gold chains weighing 165 grams worth Rs. 8.5 lakh, besides the two-wheeler that was used for the crimes. With their arrest, the Police solved one case each in Narasimharaja, Kuvempunagar and Lakshmipuram Police limits and one case in Srirangapatna Police limits.

Following increased incidents of house burglary, the City Police Commissioner had formed a special team of CCB Police. The team went to Bengaluru and rounded off one person at Shivajinagar on Jan. 17 and interrogated him.

During interrogation, the accused is said to have confessed to breaking into three houses in Mysuru city and decamping with valuables. Based on the information provided by the accused, the Police have recovered 2 kg silver articles from him.

The accused had also robbed about 156 grams of gold ornaments and had sold the same with the help of his friends to a private gold company in Bengaluru. The Police have issued a notice to the gold company to produce the ornaments it had purchased from the accused. With this, the Police have traced the stolen gold ornaments and silver articles worth Rs. 9 lakh.

(See STOLEN on page 7)

Chamarajanagar has best air quality

Mysuru, Madikeri & Hassan have 'satisfactory' Air Quality Index

Mysuru, Feb. 23 (SBD & BCT)- With thick forest cover surrounding from all sides, Chamarajanagar has the best air quality among 151 cities and small towns in the country. The Air Quality Index (AQI) data is regularly released by the Central Pollution Control Board (CPCB). With three tiger reserves — Bandipur Tiger Reserve, Biligirirangana Betta Tiger Reserve (BRT) and Male Mahadeshwara Tiger Reserve (officially not notified) — Chamarajanagar is known for its unique ecological diversity. 51 percent of the district is covered under forests.

(See BEST AIR QUALITY on page 7)

health Nuggets
DID YOU KNOW?
Alcohol consumption, Sugary Foods, Fried Foods, Salty Food and Red meat causes harm to Liver Health. Maintaining Healthy Weight, Balanced diet, Regular exercises, Avoiding alcohol, Use of Green leafy vegetables, Broccoli, Fish, Garlic and Olive oil are good for Liver Health

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"We believe comment is free, but facts are sacred."

Editor: M. GOVINDE GOWDA, M.A.

Mysuru, Wednesday 23rd February 2022

Pandit Puttaraj Gawai National Award for Mysurean

Mysuru, Feb. 23- G.R. Rajesh Nayak of Mysuru has been selected for the prestigious Pandit Puttaraj Gawai National Award.

Rajesh

Rajesh, who is well-versed in social networking, has organised over 5,000 social awareness programmes while serving in many organisations. He has also played the role of Sri Ramanuja in the dance-drama *Sri Ramanuja Dhanur Dasa Vybhavam* presented by city-based Bhushan's Academy of Visual and Performing Arts, which was streamed live in over 170 countries through Andhra Pradesh's TTD (Tirupati Tirumala Devasthanams) Channel. This apart, Rajesh has also worked for empowerment of women.

Rajesh will be conferred the award at a programme organised by New Delhi's Pandit Puttaraj Gawai Seva Samithi marking the birth anniversary of Puttaraj Gawai at New Delhi on Mar. 6, according to Samithi Director Dr. Manohar Patil.

Rajesh has also won many awards and prizes including Basava Ratna National Award, National Yuva Ratna Award, Seva Bhushana State Award, Hemmeya Kannadiga State Award, Vishwamanava Award and Kannada Vikasa Ratna Award, among others.

EDITOR'S BOTTOMLINE

UGC GETS BOLD: ***UGC's plan to allow nearly 900 autonomous colleges figuring in top-100 ranks in the NIRF subject rankings or having NAAC-grade higher than 3.26 to offer online degrees from the next academic session promises to be a big shift for higher education institutes. There are a clutch of autonomous colleges across the country that attract intense admission competition, pushing cut-offs to surreally high levels. Though many Universities are offering online degrees, allowing prestigious Colleges to do so can alter the dynamics. If these Colleges can offer the same quality online, the number of students benefiting can be huge. True, this may not really be a consolation for a meritorious student who had a close miss in admission to a top-notch College due to the supply-demand mismatch and isn't keen on an online degree. For them and for the country's future, India has no option but to continue creating more brick-and-mortar institutions focussed on quality. UGC's proposal will however definitely help those with middling grades who may not mind virtual classrooms and are seeking quality education, which is in short supply. Additionally, these online degrees could help India improve the gross enrolment ratio in higher education, a key metric in improving human capital.***

Nearly three in four young Indians don't enroll for higher education. One reason is economic pressure. Affordable online degrees with a measure of flexibility could offer a ray of hope to these youngsters. Employability of many graduates is also poor. Online education from a top College may be a better alternative than campus learning in a low-ranked institution. But to make the UGC move a game-changer, top Colleges must invest in improving quality of online education and set up the infrastructure including manpower for continuous assessment of a larger student intake. From internet speeds for live streaming classes to creating engaging online content and roping in the National Testing Agency to conduct online semester examinations, there's much work to be done for the ambitious idea to live up to its billing. Generous public funding will be needed for economically weak students and for infra upgrades. The National Education Policy wants to nearly double India's GER to 50 while delivering quality. That goal possibly hinges on the success of this initiative.

— In The Times of India

NEWS SPARKLERS

Cat lover spends 1,00,000 dollars for cat house

California: A feline lover in California spent several decades and over 1,00,000 dollars turning his home into the ultimate house for cats.

House of Nekko is a 3,000-square-foot home just north of Santa Barbara. It looks pretty ordinary from the outside, so few know that this is probably the world's most amazing cat house.

Featuring over 300 feet of catwalks, 15 feet of tunnels, 8 bridges, individual feeding spots suspended on the walls giant hamster wheels and giant scratching posts, among other feline attractions, House of Nekko is unlike any other house we've ever seen before.

Man runs marathon wearing 90 T-shirts

Edmonton: A runner in an Alberta half-marathon attempted a Guinness World Record by taking on the 13.1-mile course while wearing 90 T-shirts.

David Eliuk ran Sunday's Hypothermic Half Marathon in Edmonton while wearing 90 T-shirts in an attempt to break the Guinness World Record of 76 shirts, which was set by British runner David Smith in 2019.

Eliuk said he trained for five months before the attempt, but still hit some unforeseen difficulties from the weight and constriction of his wardrobe.

"I had a lot of issues with constriction on my arms in the first lap and the crew was able to help me get through that," Eliuk said. Evidence from his attempt is being submitted to Guinness World Records for official recognition.

"There were a lot of great stories that came out of yesterday's race and mine was only one of them. Everyone should be proud of their individual accomplishments," Eliuk said in an Instagram post.

HEALTH CAPSULE

Cataract: Cataract is clouding of eye's natural lens. It is common cause of vision loss in adults of the age 55 years and above. Treatment is surgical. Cataract surgery with intraocular lens implantation is one of the safe and most effective surgical procedure.

By Dr. Richa - Consultant Ophthalmology
Manipal Hospital, Mysore

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LIFE'S ON

** Health Capsule is not intended to be of a diagnostic nature*

Selected for poetry award

Mysuru, Feb. 23 (MTY&DM)- H.S. Madhurani, working as a lecturer in city, has been selected for *Eee Hottige* poetry award given by Bengaluru-based Eee Hottige Readers Forum. The award carries a cash prize of Rs.10,000 and a citation.

Madhurani

Madhurani has bagged this award for *Neeli Chukkiya Neralu*, a collection of her poems.

The other winner is Dr. K. Sharifa of Kalaburagi, for her *Neerolagana Kichhu*, a collection of poems. Madhurani and Dr. Sharifa will be conferred the awards during *Hottigeya Honalu* event at Kappanna auditorium in J.P. Nagar, Bengaluru, on Mar. 27.

Recruitment of Anganwadi Workers and Helpers

Mysuru, Feb. 23 (SSM)- The Women and Child Development Department has invited applications from eligible women for the vacant Anganwadi worker (19 posts), Mini Anganwadi worker (6 posts) and Anganwadi Helper (129 posts) in six Anganwadi Kendras of Mysuru District under Integrated Child Development Services (ICDS) Project.

Applications can be submitted online by logging on to website *www.anganwadirecruit.kar.nic.in* . The last date to apply is Mar. 22. For details contact, Taluk Anganwadi Workers or Anganwadi Helpers Selection Committee Member-Secretary and ICDS Project Officer during the office hours, according to a press release.

REALLY...?

- ***The bumblebee bat is the world's smallest mammal: Weighing in at 0.05 to 0.07 ounces, with a head-to-body length of 1.14 to 1.29 inches and a wingspan of 5.1 to 5.7 inches, the bumblebee bat is also known as Kitti's hog-nosed bat.***

LAUGHTER THE BEST MEDICINE

Husband: *I found Aladin's lamp today.* ***Wife:*** *Wow, what did you ask for darling?* ***Husband:*** *I asked him to increase your brain ten times.* ***Wife:*** *Oh, love you so much. Did he do that?* ***Husband:*** *He laughed and said multiplication doesn't apply on a zero !!*

TODAY'S CURRENCY RATE

1 US Dollar	= Rs. 74.65
1 UK Pound	= Rs. 101.47
1 UAE Dirham	= Rs. 20.32
1 Euro	= Rs. 84.54

COVID-19 UPDATE - MYSURU

	FEBRUARY 21	FEBRUARY 22
Day's Positive Cases	26	23
Total Positive Cases	2,29,134	2,29,157
Day's Discharges	126	71
Total Discharges	2,26,143	2,26,214
Day's Deaths	0	0
Total Deaths	2,555	2,555
Total Active Cases	436	388

NOTE: Figures as per Government Media Bulletin

VOICE OF THE READER

Congratulations 'SOM' on 45th birthday

Sir,

It is indeed heartening to note that *Star of Mysore* has stepped into 45th year of service from Feb. 16, 2022. *SOM* has been providing yeoman service to Mysureans for 44 long years and going strong by the day.

With balanced coverage of local news, politics, culture, entertainment, sports and thoughtful columns by eminent personalities, *SOM* has made a name and carved a coveted place for itself in Mysuru.

"Voice of the Reader" as the name suggests has been an effective medium for the readers to raise issues affecting their neighbourhood and connect with the authorities.

I can personally vouch for the effectiveness of this column as many issues raised here have been taken note of by the authorities and resolved.

A day never ends without a dose of *SOM*. Hoping to see many more years of service from the STAR. Congratulations to the management and staff of *SOM*.

—Kasi Ganeshan
Metagalli
8.2.2022

Impressionz to host Designers Exhibition on Feb. 25, 26

Mysuru, Feb. 23- Impressionz has organised an exquisite exhibition-cum-sale on Feb. 25 and 26 at Hotel Metropole in city from 10.30 am to 8.30 pm.

Arnav has been specialising in antique, antique replica and re-purposed jewellery in 22 carat gold for over two decades now. **Ashwini Oza,** the Chief Creative Director of Arnav, brings jewellery inspired by the South Indian Temple architecture and floral motifs. They are launching their beautiful silver jewellery for the discerning eye of the Mysureans.

As a tribute to the nine yards, **Shreeda Sarees** is back with Kanjeevaram Sarees, Heavy Benaras Silk, Mungha Benaras, Benaras Kora, Kota Silk, Light Weight Silks, Tussar Silks, Organza with antique zari, Embroidery Organza Tussars, Kalamkaris, Benarsi Linen Saris, Georgettes and so much more to make any occasion more vibrant. Shreeda has an eye for exquisite colours and designs and is a hot favourite of fashion savvy ladies. A hint of traditional along with a contemporary zest can lend a spanking new twist to one's wardrobe.

Indira Lavanya from Chennai strives to bring only the best in designer wear & custom made outfits, interesting blouses, trendy jewellery, smart sarees in cool cottons & Indo western wear. She excels in sourcing and designing pieces of apparel that every discerning woman would love to possess. She has travelled extensively in India, interacting with craftsmen, weavers and designers, creating clothes that are stylish and affordable. Her sarees are truly exclusive. Designed with immense attention to detail, each exquisite piece is one-of-a-kind.

Vima Dilip's collection is like a breath of fresh air. Silhouettes that bring out the best in you, she brings with her beautiful tunics in pastel colours with intricate laces & kaftans that are sheer exquisiteness in modal silks.

Jaipur Kurthis bring summer into our lives with their cotton kurtas and kaftans which are fashion statements today.

Tulips by Varsha Bajaj brings a stunning collection of designer bedsheets, bed covers, quilts and dohads that will bring out the best of you and your home.

Pulse polio drive in Mysuru on Feb. 27

Mysuru, Feb. 23 (MTY & DM)- Pulse polio drive will take place across the district on Feb.27. Pulse polio is an immunisation campaign launched by the Government of India to eliminate Polio in India by vaccinating all children under the age of five years against the polio virus.

District Health Officer (DHO) Dr. K.H. Prasad said that the health authorities have set a target of administering polio drops to 2.5 lakh eligible children in the district, for which 1,600 booths have been set up. Two teams will be assigned to every booth during the campaign, he said adding that the polio drops will be administered only at booths on Feb.27. From Feb.28, the teams will undertake door-to- door visit in the city for three days and in rural areas for four days. The teams will visit all 7 lakh houses in the district for ensuring that all children aged below 5 years are administered polio drops. About 25 mobile units will be launched for polio campaign at bus stands, Railway Stations, tribal hamlets and other public places.

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NEWS BRIEFS

Ph.D scholarship for Backward Classes

The Backward Classes Welfare Department (BCWD) has invited applications from backward class community students belonging to Categories 1, 2(A), 3(A), 3(B) pursuing first year Ph.D in Karnataka for availing monthly scholarship of Rs. 10,000. Students who are pursuing their Ph.D in Universities in the State in the year 2021-22 may apply online (***https://bcwd.karnataka.gov.in/***) to avail the scholarship before 5.30 pm on Feb. 28. Students must also submit the copy of filled-in online application along with the relevant documents to the District BCWD Officer before 5.30 pm on Mar. 3. For details, contact Mob: 80507-70004.

Ph.D awardees

M.S. Kariyappa has been awarded Ph.D in Education by the UoM for his thesis 'Effectiveness of the Career Guidance Programme on Career Related Variables among Secondary School Students' [Guide: Dr. G. Viswanathappa].

N.S. Bhavana has been awarded Ph.D in Botany by the UoM for her thesis 'Molecular Characterisation of Fungal Endophytes from Selected Medicinal Species of Apocynaceae and Evaluation of their L-Asparaginase, Anti-Proliferative and Antioxidative Potentials' [Guide: Dr. M.S. Nalini].

WATER LEVEL

KRS DAM

Maximum	:	124.80	feet
Today	:	115.24	feet
Yesterday	:	115.56	feet
Inflow	:	356	cusecs
Outflow	:	4,434	cusecs

KABINI DAM

Maximum	:	2,284.00	feet
Today	:	2,278.41	feet
Inflow	:	133	cusecs
Outflow	:	1,925	cusecs

HARANGI DAM

Maximum	:	2,859.00	feet
Today	:	2,857.08	feet
Inflow	:	35	cusecs
Outflow	:	50	cusecs

Sacked non-teaching staff of Music Varsity continue protest

Mysuru, Feb. 23 (PM&DM)- Accusing KSGH Music and Performing Arts University of unceremoniously sacking them, 13 aggrieved non-teaching faculty of the University continued their indefinite protest in front of the University campus on JLB Road in Lakshmipuram for the third day today. The employees had launched the stir on Monday and today former Mayor Purushotham visited the venue in support of the protest.

Maintaining that they had been serving as non-teaching staff of the University since it's inception, the protesters alleged that the University authorities sacked them without any prior intimation on Feb. 7, citing shortage of funds. Stating that they were appointed as temporary staff when the University was started over 13 years ago, they said that they have been serving since then and they were paid wages till early 2021. But all of a sudden, the temporary staff were relieved of their duties earlier this month and were also not paid wages for the past 10 months. Accusing the Vice-Chancellor of ignoring their interests, they urged the University to pay them pending wages and also continue their service.

Bemoaning that it has become hard for them to lead a decent life due to loss of job and non-payment of backlog salaries, they declared that the protest would continue till their main demands of payment of pending wages and continuation of service are met.

B. Manjula, Kaiser Babu, Chandrakala, Shashikumar, Premkumar and others took part in the protest.

Four wild elephants radio-collared in Thithimathi Forest

Gonikoppa, Feb. 23 (KS)- The Forest Department officials have radio collared four wild elephants in Thithimathi yesterday and are on a look out to radio collar another elephant.

The four wild elephants were radio collared after conducting operations at Abbur, Tarikatte, Hosahalli and Devarapura Devarakadu and the Forest officials have named these four wild elephants as Ananya, Akanksha, Makhna and Aiyappa. These four wild elephants were captured with the help of tamed elephants Abhimanyu, Mahendra, Dhananjaya and Sugreeva.

Veterinarians Dr. Sanath Muliya and Dr. C.K. Tammaiah, Assistants Akram Khan and Dalayat, Kodagu Chief Conservator of Forests (CCF) Dr. Shankar, Thithimathi Assistant Conservator of Forests (ACF) P.P. Uthappa, Virajpet ACF Roshni, Thithimathi Range Forest Officer (RFO) Ashok, Deputy Range Forest Officer (DRFO) Umashankar, Dr. Ramesh, retired DCF M. Jaya & Dr. B. Navneethwere present.

Anganwadi worker's suicide attempt case

Officials are not at fault in Sumathi's transfer

Clarifies Anganwadi Workers' Association

Mysuru, Feb. 23 (RKB&KS)- The Karnataka State Anganwadi Workers' Association has clarified that Doddamaragowdahalli Anganwadi worker Sumathi was transferred as she was not reaching the Government benefits to the people and the officials are not at fault in her transfer.

Addressing a press meet at Pathrakartara Bhavan here on Monday, Association District Organising Secretary Pushpalatha said that the villagers had complained against Sumathi and opposed her transfer to their village. Also, another Anganwadi worker Lalitharani, who was travelling from DGM Halli to Maraiahnahundi daily, had requested transfer.

She further said that at the same time, villagers were upset over Sumathi's work. Pushpalatha alleged that Sumathi had not distributed rations during COVID pandemic to villagers but had obtained signatures of all and hence she was transferred.

Pointing out that it was not correct on the part of Sumathi accusing officials for her transfer and added that it was wrong on the part of Sumathi to attempt suicide by consuming poison in front of Anganwadi children.

Pushpalatha further said that Anganwadi workers will state a Statewide protest on Mar. 4 to urge the Government to fulfil their various demands.

Association office-bearers Latha, K. Sujatha, Leelavathi, Mangalagowri, Jayanthi and Gowramma were present during the press meet.

Obituary

Krishnappa

Mysuru, Feb. 23- Krishnappa (67), former Director of Karnataka Pradesh Kurubara Sangha and a resident of Tonachikoppal, passed away yesterday at his residence in city. He was the son of Tonachikoppal Yajaman Kapini Beeregowda and uncle of Corporator Gopi.

He leaves behind his wife, one son, two daughters and a host of relatives and friends. Last rites were performed at Tonachikoppal Burial Grounds yesterday.

Sriram

Sriram (65), a resident of Vontikoppal, passed away yesterday night in city. He leaves behind his wife, son Pradeep Kumar, a newspaper distributor and a host of relatives and friends.

Last rites were performed at Chirashantidhama in Gokulam this afternoon.

Rider falls from bike, dies

He had rammed his bike into a woman before falling down

Mahadeva

Hunsur, Feb. 23 (KK&KS)- A two-wheeler rider, who had sustained serious head injuries after hitting a woman who was crossing the road and falling down from the bike, has succumbed to injuries at K.R. Hospital in Mysuru. The incident had taken place near Hunsur Bus Stand on Sunday night.

The deceased is Mahadeva (62), a retired KSRTC employee and a resident of Kallabetta Colony in the taluk. The woman, who sustained injuries, when the bike Mahadeva was riding hit her, is undergoing treatment at Hunsur General Hospital.

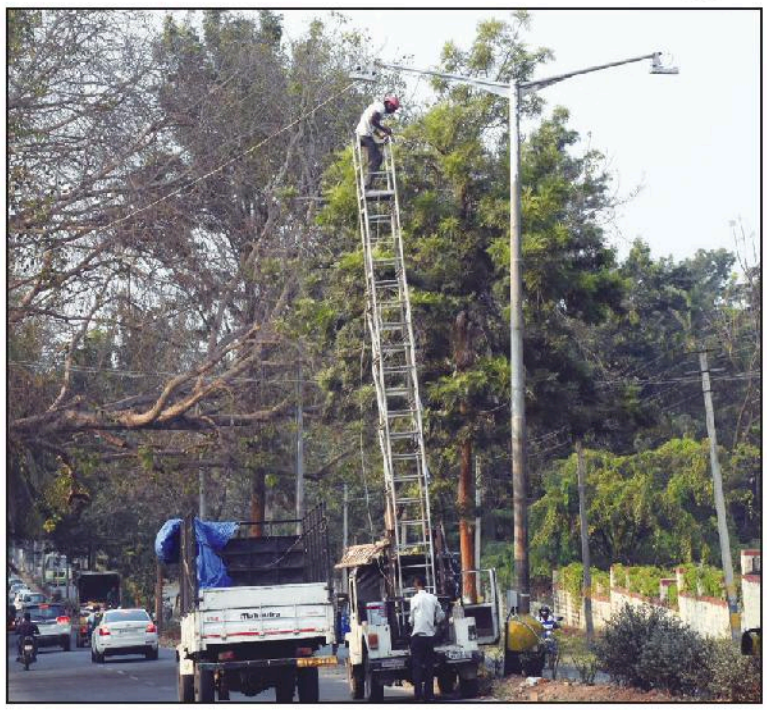
On Sunday night, Mahadeva was on his way to his native place and when he was proceeding near the Bus Stand, he rammed into a woman, who was crossing the road, lost control of the bike and fell down.

Mahadeva, who sustained head injuries, was rushed to Hunsur General Hospital, where he was provided first-aid and was later admitted to K.R. Hospital in Mysuru, where he succumbed to injuries.

Hunsur Town Police Have registered a case.

LED streetlights not a bright idea!

- Residents complain of patchy lighting in a project that aims to save money
- Works now on to fix energy-efficient lights in 12 Wards of MCC



The old streetlights on KRS Road being replaced with LED bulbs yesterday. Picture right shows the dimly lit Hunsur Road after the regular bulbs were replaced with LED bulbs.

Mysuru, Feb. 23 (MK&BCT)- The new LED street lighting project that is being implemented in city may save money but is not bright and has made the roads dim. There is a lack of visibility due to patchy lighting — the area under the lamps are very well lit but other areas between lamps and on the sides are in almost complete darkness.

Many residents who have been used to seeing halogen, Compact Fluorescent Lamps (CFL) and incandescent bulbs on the roads are finding the LED lights dim. However, the company that is implementing the project has clarified that the bulbs are being laid as per standards fixed by the State Government (Urban Development Department).

All the 68,178 CFL and halogen bulbs are being replaced within the limits of Mysuru City Corporation (MCC), but wherever the LED lights are installed, motorists and residents have complained that the lights are not bright enough.

"Afterall, LED streetlights are not a bright idea as the areas between the lights are dark and this might lead to accidents and will hamper the movement of pedestrians as they walk along the side of the roads that are still dark," said a resident.

"White light (LED) does not give as much illumination as yellow light. We have observed that LED lights do not diffuse into its surroundings. For streetlights, I think halogens and CFLs are better as they can provide the required amount of illumination," another resident said. The move to install LED lights is beneficial if the cost efficiency factor is taken into consideration as LEDs consume far less energy when compared to halogens, CFLs and incandescent bulbs. "The white light generated by LEDs is only optimal for indoor purposes such as reading and working on a computer," he added.

Officials from e-Smart Energy Saving Private Limited that is implementing the project in Mysuru, however, said that it had requested the State Government for permission to install streetlight bulbs that have a capacity of 45 watts. But this proposal got rejected and the company was told to follow the National Lighting Code.

PEOPLE ACCUSTOMED TO BRIGHT LIGHTS

"People are used to looking at CFLs and halogens that emit bright yellow lights and the LEDs will appear dim to their eyes. But LEDs are the most widely accepted form of street lighting project in many cities and this system is being widely implemented all over," said an MCC Electrical Engineer.

In Mysuru, the project is being implemented under Public-Private-Partnership (PPP) model with an estimated cost of Rs. 109.01 crore. At present, the project is being implemented in 12 MCC Wards.

With an intention to save on energy costs, the Government, during its 2015-16 Budget, had proposed to replace conventional bulbs including tube lights, high-pressure sodium, mercury vapour and metal halide lights (halogen lamps) with LED bulbs in City Corporations outside Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike (BBMP) and had selected Mysuru for the pilot project.

CONTRACT TERMS

As per the MCC contract, the e-Smart Energy Saving Private Limited has to install the lights and maintain the same for eight years, saving 58.77 percent electricity. "Every year, the MCC pays over Rs. 25 crore as electricity bills and once all the lights are replaced with LED bulbs, the MCC will save about Rs. 13 to Rs. 14 crore," the MCC Electrical Engineer added.

In case the bulbs are damaged, the company has to replace them within 24 hours. The project is being implemented with a Centralised Control and Monitoring System (CCMS) with smart metres and Internet of Things (IOT) controllers.

This enables integration of all LED lamps and they can be operated remotely through apps. The entire operation (including switching on and off) and maintenance can be controlled through apps and there are only fewer chances of bulbs getting spoilt due to excessive heat unlike halogen and CFL bulbs.

Cash prize for Yakshagana books: Entries invited

Mysuru, Feb. 23 (SSM)- The Kannada and Culture Department and Karnataka Yakshagana Academy have invited applications from authors and publishers of books on Yakshagana (Tenku, Badagu, Badabadagu, Yakshagana Gombeyata), Mudalapaya Yakshagana, Kelike, Ghatadakore and Talamaddale, published in the year 2021 (between Jan. 1, 2021 and Dec. 31, 2021) for awarding cash prize.

The books may be in any form — music, food, acting, research, critic, autobiography, context etc. The best book will be awarded a cash prize of Rs. 25,000. The books must be self-written and must be its first publication. Textbooks and collection of article books will not be considered.

Four copies of each book must be sent to the Registrar, Karnataka Yakshagana Academy, Kannada Bhavan, 2nd Floor, J.C. Road, Bengaluru.

For further details, call Ph: 080-22113146, according to a press release from Kannada and Culture Assistant Director H. Channappa.

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Visibility makes all the difference for 'Ambaari'

Tourist service gets good response from Palace South Gate

Mysuru, Feb. 23 (RK&BCT)- The change in location and slashed trip prices have proved a boon to 'Ambaari' double-decker hop-on and hop-off city tourist buses as now on an average 20 to 30 persons are enjoying the tours every day. And the numbers are bound to go up during weekends.

After launching six such refurbished buses — four stationed in Mysuru and two in Hampi — spending crores of rupees, the Karnataka State Tourism Development Corporation (KSTDC) was in a fix as there was no expected response from the tourists.

Two waves of COVID, weekend and night curfew and other restrictions including RT-PCR and double-dose vaccination checks at the borders had ruined the prospects of 'Ambaari' as there were not many takers from other States, especially Kerala. The bus service had to depend on local tourists who used to come only occasionally.

However, Dasara illumination changed everything and the 'Ambaari' trips became extremely popular after 6 pm to see the brightly lit up city and its outskirts. The increased illumination areas and also increased number of days proved a jackpot for 'Ambaari'.

So much so that people used to line up in front of the KSTDC Office on JLB Road early in the morning to buy tickets. The rooftop seats were in great demand and photos and videos of visitors travelling on the rooftop went viral, only to increase the demand manifold.

After the Dasara season, the tourists began thinning out and one of the buses was parked in the KSTDC Office with the remaining three parked at the Bannimantap KSRTC Depot. The popularity declined as there was no visibility and the bus had only seven to eight visitors during weekends with no takers at all on weekdays.

A RAY OF HOPE

Then came COVID third wave and the more potent Omicron variant and once again, 'Ambaari' lost its glory. Things started looking up only after G. Jagadeesha, who was the former Commissioner of the Mysuru City Corporation (MCC), took over as the KSTDC Managing Director.

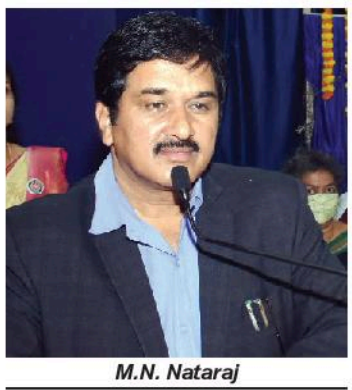
On a visit to Mysuru, he suggested the KSTDC officers to move the 'Ambaari' location to Palace South Gate (near Gun House) so that the bus can be seen by the tourists every time they pass this stretch. Also, the ticket prices were slashed from Rs. 250 to Rs. 150. Arrangements were made to facilitate ticket buying in the bus itself.

These steps have proved beneficial and now on an average 20 to 30 people travel in the bus daily and it has been a week after the bus service was moved to the Palace South Gate. The crowds are expected to surge during weekends and holidays. As of now, only one bus will provide the service and if need be, all the four buses will be put into service depending on the crowd response, officials said.

Hundreds take part in District-Level Neighbourhood Youth Parliament

Mysuru, Feb. 23 (RKB&DM)- The Maharaja College Centenary Hall was jam-packed this morning as hundreds of youths from all over the district converged for a day-long District-Level Neighbourhood Youth Parliament. The event was organised by Mysuru District Nehru Yuva Kendra (NYK) in association with University of Mysore's NSS Unit, Department of Youth Empowerment and Sports and a host of other organisations, marking the 75th year of Indian Independence. Inaugurating the event, **M.N. Nataraj, State Director, Nehru Yuva Kendra Sanghatane,** said that the event, a part of *Azadi Ka Amrut Mahotsav* has been launched in Karnataka from Mysuru.

"Our population has risen to 133 crore from 33 crore from 1947 and this event has been organised to tap talent among youths for progress," he said. The Union Government established NYKs in 1972 marking the Silver Jubilee celebrations of independence and now NYKs are functioning in 748 districts.



M.N. Nataraj

"NYK has associated with NSS of Universities to tap and nurture youth talent. Youths in the age group of 15 to 29 years form more than one-third of the country's population and the Government is making all efforts to tap youth potential," Nataraj said.

Underlining the role of youths in nation building, Nataraj said that youths should dedicate at least 2 hours per week for cleaning activities in their neighbourhood at villages or towns or cities and thus contribute to the 'Swachh Bharat' campaign.

Stressing on the need for the youths to stay fit, he said that they should engage in a variety of physical activities such as Yoga for at least 30 minutes a day. He called upon the youths to engage themselves in educating the rural and less educated population on the importance of sanitation and maintenance of cleanliness and hygiene.

University of Mysore Registrar Prof. B. Shivappa said that the University is promoting NSS programmes to the maximum and called upon youths to engage themselves in nation building.

The event featured a series of lectures in which former faculty Prof. Ramegowda delivered a talk on the topic 'Ek-Bharat Shreshta Bharat', Prof. K.M. Prasanna Kumar of Government First Grade College, Siddharthanagar, on 'Atma Nirbhar Bharat', Dr. M.P. Varsha, Director, Credit-I, Mysuru on 'Beti Bachao, Beti Padao' and GSS Foundation's D. Srihari on 'Clean India, Swachh Bharat'.

The event also featured a talk on Ayushman Bharat, COVID awareness/vaccination and Cancer awareness. M.N. Nataraj, who is on his first official visit to the city after taking over as State Director of NYK, was felicitated. UoM NSS officer Dr. M.B. Suresh, Department of Youth Empowerment and Sports Assistant Director K. Suresh, District Nehru Yuva Kendra officer Vinay Kumar and others were present.

Organisations stage protest in city, condemn Harsha murder in Shivamogga

Hundreds of people belonging to various pro-Hindu organisations staged a protest in front of Dufferin Clock Tower in city this morning, condemning the brutal murder of Bajrang Dal activist Harsha in Shivamogga on Sunday night. The protestors demanded NIA investigation into the murder and provide justice to the deceased Harsha's family members. Additional Police force was deployed at the protest venue to prevent any untoward incident.

Legislature Session adjourned to Mar. 4

Bengaluru, Feb. 23- Amidst the row over RDPR Minister K.S. Eswharappa's controversial remarks against which the Opposition Congress staged day and night dharna inside the Assembly for five days demanding the Minister's sacking, the Legislature Session on Tuesday was adjourned three days before the scheduled date (Feb.25). Following the adjournment, both the Houses would meet again for the Budget session starting on Mar.4, the day on which Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai, who also holds the Finance portfolio, would table the State budget.

Assembly Speaker Vishweshwar Hegde Kageri said that the State Legislative Assembly functioned properly only on two days and five days were lost due to dharna by Congress members seeking the resignation of Eshwarappa for his reported remarks that the saffron flag could in future fly in place of the Tricolor at Red Fort.

Maintaining that he had convened 6-7meetings with leaders of both the Opposition Congress and the ruling BJP, Kageri said that all his efforts went in vain and the Congress members' continued protest repeatedly interrupted the conduct of business.

Meanwhile, the Legislative Council on Tuesday passed five bills through a voice vote without discussion. The Bills that were passed included The Karnataka Civil Services (Validation of Selection and Appointment of 2011 Batch Gazetted Probationers) Bill, The Criminal Law Amendment Bill and Karnataka Stamp (Amendment) Bill.

CM to visit Delhi on Feb. 25

Bengaluru, Feb. 23- Ahead of presenting the Budget, Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai would visit Delhi on Feb. 25. Bommai is expected to meet the BJP's top leadership and discuss issues like Cabinet expansion or reshuffle, the budget which he will be tabling on Mar. 4, the Law and Order situation in the State among other things, it is learnt.

Stolen gold, silver worth Rs. 24 lakh recovered

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With his arrest, the CCB Police solved one case each in Lakshmipuram, Metagalli and Jayalakshmipuram Police Stations. It is learnt that the accused has many house burglary cases registered against him at various Police Stations in Bengaluru and was also jailed. But after coming out of the jail, he continued his profession.

On Jan. 27, the special CCB team took another house burglar near Hunsur Bus Stand and interrogated him during which the accused confessed to committing house burglaries in various Police limits in Mysuru and decamping with gold ornaments, silver articles and cash.

Based on the information provided by the accused, the Police have recovered 131 grams gold ornaments and 92 grams silver articles, all worth Rs. 6.5 lakh. Following his arrest, the CCB Police have solved one case each in Vijayanagar and Vidyaranyapuram Police Stations.

The accused has house burglary cases already registered against him at Vijayanagar Police Station and at Gandasi Police Station in Hassan. Deputy Commissioner of Police (Crime and Traffic) M.S. Geetha Prasanna and CCB ACP C.K. Ashwathnarayan guided CCB Inspector R. Jagadish, fingerprint division ACP Rajashekar and staff of CCB Police in the nabbing and recovery operation.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to the General Public that my client Sri. Mohan G. aged about 45 Years, S/o. Sri. M. Govindaraju. Residing at No, 195, Ramachandrappa Layout, Kariyanapalya, St. Thomas Town Post, Bangalore City is the owner of the below mentioned schedule property.

My client on 05/02/2022 while travelling from Banglore to Mysore in Kaveri Express Train has lost the Original Sale deed dated **23/08/2006** registered before **Sub-Registrar, Mysore North,** registered in **Book No.1, Document No. MYN-1-15466-2006-07, C.D. No. MYND109** and my client has in that respect has already lodged a complaint with the jurisdictional police station.

Any person who has found the document is hereby called upon to hand over the same to my client or to contact our office address mentioned below and such person **shall be suitably rewarded.**

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My client intends to purchase the Schedule Property from its owner, Mr. **Shafiulla Shariff** [Aadhaar No.: 2187 9125 7515], S/o. Sri. Mohamood Shariff, residing at no. 360, 'C' Layout, 7th Main, Bannimantap, Mandi Mohalla, Mysuru. If any person/s who claims any right, interest or title of any nature or any lien, charge or enforceable right in relation to the Schedule Property or has any objections of any nature to the transaction should lodge or report such claim and / or objections in writing with supporting documents to the under signed within **seven (7) days** from the date of publication of this notice. In the event of no such claims / objections have received it will be presumed that no valid claims or objections subsists and my client would proceed to purchase the Schedule Property as if no such claim or objections exists or that they have been waived or abandoned.

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Chamarajanagar has best air quality

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The air quality index (AQI) is an index for reporting air quality on a daily basis. It is a measure of how air pollution affects one's health within a short time period. The purpose of the AQI is to help people know how the local air quality impacts their health.

As per the data released by the CPCB today (Feb. 23), Chamarajanagar has an AQI index value of 34 which is classified as good. Mysuru has an AQI index of 63 (satisfactory), Madikeri has an AQI index of 61 (satisfactory) and Bengaluru's score is 90-118 (moderate). Hassan with an AQI index of 96 is categorised under satisfactory.

The AQI categories are Good (0–50) that has minimal impact, satisfactory (51-100) - may cause minor breathing difficulties in sensitive people; moderately polluted (101-200) - may cause breathing difficulties in people with lung disease like asthma, and discomfort to people with heart disease, children and older adults.

The AQI is poor if it is under 201-300 and it may cause breathing difficulties in people on prolonged exposure and discomfort to people with heart disease. It is very poor if it is between 301 and 400. This may cause respiratory illness in people on prolonged exposure. Effect may be more pronounced in people with lung and heart diseases.

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Mysuru is also a Medical City – 4

Government Medical Facilities

[Continued from Feb. 17]

By R. Chandra Prakash

Government Medical facilities in Mysuru have seen substantial improvements in the last decade. Right now there is a proposal for an expenditure of Rs. 86 crore to renovate Government-run Hospitals in Mysuru. New facilities like Sri Jayadeva Institute of Cardiovascular Sciences and Research, a District Hospital and an Ayurveda Hospital have come up on KRS Road. There is hectic lobbying to bring an extension of Kidwai Memorial Cancer Hospital to Mysuru. There are also the ESI Hospital and a Railway Hospital to cater to the requirements of particular groups of citizens. City's All India Institute of Speech and Hearing (AIISH) is rendering yeomen service to the young and old suffering from hearing impairment and its related problems. *A brief overview of some of them is published here:*

Chandra Prakash

Urban Primary Health Centres

Though not much known, there are 32 Urban Primary Health Centres (UPHCs) in Mysuru and since 2014 each one of them has been provided with a qualified doctor, a nurse and supporting staff. They provide the patients with necessary investigations and medicines. Their main role as medical extension service providers continues in various fields of medical challenges. They have played very crucial role during the past two years of COVID pandemic. There is hope that with greater infrastructure and monetary grants in the near future they will play a bigger supplementary role to the main the Government Hospitals.

New District Hospital

Very recently the Government has established a separate District Hospital at a cost of Rs.160 crore on KRS Road. It is located in an area of 6 acres and has taken over the already existing Epidemic Diseases (ED) Hospital on this land. It has 300 beds capacity and a staff of 160, of which 32 are doctors, 60 nurses and others are Technicians, Lab Attendants and Group-D employees. The Hospital is equipped with X-Ray, Ultrasound and a good Laboratory. It will significantly reduce patient load on other Government Hospitals in city, particularly on K.R. Hospital.

In March 2020, due to COVID crisis this Hospital was put to use even before the building was handed over to the concerned authorities. Right now it has been attending exclusively to COVID patients of the district and till date it has attended to about 12,000 seriously ill COVID patients and about 38,000 COVID out-patients. It has carried out 60,000 screening activities with RT-PCR swab testing and has vaccinated about 78,000 persons. This Hospital is ready to cater to non-COVID services such as medical and surgical, including OPD, IPD, Lab tests, MICU, NICU, PICU, casualty and emergency services too.

Sri Jayadeva Institute of Cardiovascular Sciences and Research

Originally started in the year 2010 in K.R. Hospital complex, Jayadeva Institute now has its own building on KRS Road. It is a Government-run Autonomous Institute, purely a Non-Profit Organisation with state-of-the-art cardiac care, providing quality cardiac care at an affordable cost to all sections of society and free of cost to deserving poor. Its 75% of patients are well below the poverty line. It has 350 beds exclusively for cardiac care. Implementing effectively the concept "Treatment First - Payment Next" is its unique feature.

On an average 600 patients visit this Hospital everyday and annually 13,000 to 14,000 in-patients are treated. Heart surgeries started in 2019 and about 50 surgeries and 30 vascular surgeries are done every month. Till date, 63,300 Cathlabs procedures, including Coronary Angiograms, Angioplasties, Valvuloplasties, Pacemaker, Device Closures and other Procedures have been done in this Hospital. It has 20 Cardiologists, 8 Cardiothoracic Surgeons, 1 Vascular Surgeon, 6 Anaesthesiologists, one Resident Medical Officer, 3 Senior Residents and 11 General Duty Medical Officers with 700 supporting ancillary staff.

Cheluvamba Hospital

This Hospital for maternity care is a teaching hospital attached to Mysore Medical College and Research Institute. It has a Children's Block where it provides services to paediatric patients and has specialised units providing neonatal care, paediatric surgery, diarrhoeal treatment and immunisations. It has 410 beds including 130 paediatric beds and 280 beds in obstetrics and gynaecology and is also a designated neonatal ward and a diarrhoeal diseases unit. About 40-45 babies are delivered here each day. There are Neonatal Intensive Care Units (NICUs) accommodating 30 infants at a time. The out-patient department sees 500-600 patients every day.

K. R. Hospital

It is a tertiary referral and teaching hospital attached to Mysore Medical College and Research Institute. It has a 1,050 bed capacity and a staff of 560, of which 350 are doctors and 210 nurses and others. It is equipped with facilities like Laboratory, Physiotherapy, Blood Bank, Echo-Cardiogram facilities, X-Ray, CT Scanning, MRI, Dialysis, EEG, ABG, Ultrasound scanning, Mammography, Endoscopy and Colonoscopy.

Apart from the Casualty and Emergency Department, K.R. Hospital today has departments providing services in the fields of Medicine, Endocrinology, Surgery, Orthopaedic, ENT, Skin & STD, Ophthalmology, Psychiatry, Plastic Surgery, Neurology, Neurosurgery, Dental, Urology, Nephrology, Onco-Surgery, Radio-Therapy, Cardiology, Gastroenterology and Surgical Oncology. Hospital distributes free drugs, in-patient food facilities, Disability Cards under UDID and ART Centre.

During the month of December 2021, it had 3,355 in-patients and served 36,819 out-patients, of which 9,344 belonged to Medicine and Endocrinology, 4,737 to Casualty/Emergency, 4,642 to Orthopaedics, 4,489 to Skin and STD, and 3,152 to Surgery and rest to other Departments.

P.K.T.B. Sanatorium

Princess Krishnajammanni Tuberculosis and Chest Diseases Hospital is spread across 70 acres of land with well-ventilated and spacious wards. It has two departments — Respiratory Medicine and Cardiothoracic and Vascular Surgery. This Hospital also caters to diagnosis and treatment of all other respiratory illness including COVID-19. In the year 2021, over 11,000 patients utilised OPD services, over 2,700 patients were admitted and treated and around 47 major surgeries and 264 minor surgeries were conducted. Consultation is also provided to patients admitted with respiratory illness at K.R. Hospital and Cheluvamba Hospital. This Hospital is a nodal DRTB centre and caters to Mysuru and 5 neighbouring districts. All latest drugs for tuberculosis including Bedaquiline (costing around Rs. 1.8 lakh) and Delamanid are given free of cost to the patients. In addition, any adverse events of these potent drugs are also treated. Till date more than 1,100 drug-resistant TB patients have been treated.

Ayurveda Hospital

This is a 170-bed Hospital, treating around 400 patients daily on OPD basis, providing lab investigations like Haematology, Liver Function test, Lipid Profile, Renal function test, X-Ray, Ultra Sonography and Day Care Panchakarma treatments. Treatments for diseases like Paralysis, Low back-ache, Joint disorders, Asthma, Psoriasis, Eczema, Jaundice, Gastritis, Migraine headache, Obesity and Gynaecological diseases are provided. Special Ayurveda treatments like Panchakarma - Vamana, Virechana, two types of Basti, Nasya, Abhyanga, Katibasti, Janubasti, Udvartana, Shirodhara, Ksharasutra for Anorectal diseases, Leech Therapy, Therapeutic Yoga and other procedures are being advised to patients. All medicines, Lab investigations and Panchakarma treatments are free of cost.

Now, our city has a robust Governmental medical infrastructure and the proposed Cancer Hospital will surely fill up a crucial gap. If their intended services could reach the public, then it will make a great difference in the citizens' quality of life in Mysuru city.

[To be continued]

NCC Mysuru Division Cadets felicitated

Mysuru, Feb. 23 (SSM)- Cadets from NCC Mysuru Division, who had participated in the 73rd Republic Day Parade in New Delhi, were felicitated by Suttur Seer Sri Shivarathri Deshikendra Swamiji at a programme organised at Suttur Mutt in Nanjangud.

Cadet (Cdt.) S. Chaithra and Cdt. M. Prajwal of JSS College on Ooty Road, Cdt. K.M. Deeksha of JSS Women's College at Saraswathipuram, Cadet Senior Under Officer (CSUO) M.A. Roshini Marian of Government CPC Polytechnic College, Cdt. H.M. Darshan, Junior Under Officer (JUO) V. Pavan and SUO Charan Basavaraj of D. Banumaiah's College, Corporal (Cpl.) L. Suchitra, Lance Corporal (L/Cpl.) S. Priya and Cdt. Capt. R. Mithun of Sarada Vilas College, SUO H.V. Tanmai of Maharaja College, JUO C. Prajwal Urs of Vidyavardhaka College, CSUO R. Rajath Singh of JSS Polytechnic and SUO M.R. Siddaraju of K.M. Doddi Bharathi College were feted along with NCC Mysuru Division In-charge Group Commander Col. V. Srinivas and 3 Karnataka Women Battalion NCC Commanding Officer Col. Manojkumar Mishra.

JSS College Chief Executive Prof. B.V. Sambashivaiah, Principal Dr. H.C. Honnappa, Lieutenants Dr. L. Vinay Kumar, Harsha Kumar and Mahendra, Captain Roopa, Dr. Vijaya Manjunathguru and others were present.

Mahashivarathri Dwadasha Jyotirlinga Darshana from tomorrow

3D Shivalinga, giant sand Shivalinga main attraction at Vijayanagar

Mysuru, Feb. 23 (RKB& BNR)- The Dwadasha Jyotirlinga Punya Darshana has been organised at Om Shanti Mantapa, Vani Vilasa Layout, near Abhisheka Circle, Vijayanagar 2nd Stage, Water Tank Road, in city from tomorrow (Feb. 24 to Mar. 2) between 8 am and 9 pm, under the aegis of Prajapitha Brahma Kumaris Ishwariya Vishwa Vidyalaya as part of Mahashivarathri (Mar.1).

Announcing this at a press meet at Pathrakartara Bhavan in city yesterday, Vidyalaya's Vijayanagar Branch Head Rajayogini BK Sandhya said that everyday, there will be Samskrutika Sandhya (Cultural Evening) featuring music and dance from 6 pm to 7 pm and discourse 'Jeevana Darshana.' Entry is free.

At the venue, visitors will also get to have darshan of 3D Shivalinga, giant Shivalinga made of sand and 'Shiva Darshana' painting expo.

Adichunchanagiri Mutt Seer Sri Somanatha Swamiji will grace the occasion. Rajayogini BK Lakshmiji, Chief Coordinator, Brahma Kumaris Mysuru Sub Zone, will preside. Sunanda Palanetra, Mayor, will inaugurate the Dwadasha Jyotirlinga Darshana at 6 pm tomorrow.

MLC C.N. Manjegowda will inaugurate the giant Shivalinga made of sand. Former MLA Vasu will inaugurate 'Shiva Darshana' painting expo. K. Vivekananda, ex-Chairman, Jungle Lodges and Resorts, Bengaluru, will inaugurate 3D Shivalinga Darshana.

Corporators Prema Shankaregowda, M.U. Subbaiah, K.V. Sridhar and Srinivas will be the chief guests. Former Corporators K.T. Cheluvegowda, S.D. Shivanna and Shivamadu, BJP Yuva Morcha President M.G. Kiran Gowda and Dharma of Chamundi Jewellers will be the special invitees.

BK Pranesh, BK Dhanalakshmi and BK Lokesh were present at the press meet.

For details, contact Ph: 0821-4052235 or Mob: 99456-14808.

'Vachana Kusumanjali' released

Akhila Bharata Sharana Sahitya State President Prof. Maleyur Guruswamy** (4th from left) **releasing Champa Shivanna's** (3rd from right) **book titled 'Vachana Kusumanjali' at a programme organised at Kannada Sahitya Bhavan in Vijayanagar First Stage in city on Sunday as others look on.

Mysuru, Feb. 23 (RKB&DM)- Akhila Bharata Sharana Sahitya Parishat State President Prof. Maleyur Guruswamy said that the book 'Vachana Kusumanjali' is not merely a literature based on experience, but a literature that is to be followed by everyone in practice.

He was speaking after releasing writer Champa Shivanna's work 'Vachana Kusumanjali' at a programme organised jointly by District Kannada Sahitya Parishat, District Sharana Sahitya Parishat and Kannada Sahitya Kalakoota at Kannada Sahitya Bhavan in Vijayanagar First Stage here on Sunday.

Pointing out that 'Vachana Kusumanjali' is not a large volume, he said that the book contains 201 Vachanas. Observing that the book has the sense of customary practices as well as an understanding of facts, Prof. Guruswamy reiterated that the book is a literary work that underlines the importance of following good practices in life.

Maintaining that though it is difficult to lead life strictly in accordance with Vachanas, he said that the Vachanas have propagated a unique life that cannot be found in global literature, culture or history.

JSS Mahavidyapeetha's Collegiate Education and Publications Division Director Prof. Morabada Mallikarjuna, who spoke about the book, said that we Kannadigas should be proud of Vachana literature.

Stressing on the need for propagating the values put forward by Basavanna, the 12th century social reformer, he said that we cannot be humans in the real sense if we failed to follow at least some of Basavanna's principles. 'Vachana Kusumanjali' is a work that explains all the complexities and sensitivities of life, he added.

The book release was followed by a 'Vachana Goshti' in which poets Dr. Jayappa Honnali, Hemaganga, Ranganath Mysuru, M.B. Jayashankar and others took part.

Singers Atishaya Jain and Bhagyalakshmi Narayan recited select poems from 'Vachana Kusumanjali' on the occasion.

Mysuru District Kannada Sahitya Parishat President Maddikere Gopal presided.

Kannada Sahitya Kalakoota President M. Chandrashekar, District Sharana Sahitya Parishat President Dr. Helavarahundi Siddappa, Publisher Omkarappa, writer Champa Shivanna and others were present.

Compensation cheques distributed to COVID victims' family members

Mysuru, Feb. 23 (KS)- Narasimharaja MLA Tanveer Sait distributed compensation cheques of Rs. 1 lakh to the legal heirs of those who died of COVID-19 during first and the second wave. The cheques were distributed at a function organised at Safa Function Hall in Udayagiri here recently.

The State Government had announced a compensation of Rs. 1.5 lakh (Rs. 1 lakh from the State Government and Rs. 50,000 from the Centre). Karnataka Pradesh Congress Committee (KPCC) which had organised *Sahaya Hastha* programme had advised all representatives to visit every house of the COVID-affected families to know their status and to convey the benefits extended by the Government to the deceased person's families. The same was conveyed through various social media platforms which helped hundreds of people submit their applications to the authorities concerned.

In Narasimharaja Constituency, a total of 498 applications were submitted, out of which 80 applicants received Rs. 50,000, which was credited to their bank accounts and Rs.1 lakh cheque was handed over to the family members of the COVID deceased. It was also informed that the pending applications are being processed and the applicants would receive the compensation amount at the earliest.

If the applicants have any confusion, they may contact the office of the MLA or can contact former Corporator K.C. Showkath Pasha at his office along with the copy of the application or call him on Mob: 94483-50923.

WORD OF THE DAY

Echelon

Pronunciation: ESH-uh-lahn.
Meaning: An echelon refers to a level in an organisation or to a group of individuals at a particular level in an organisation.
Origin: Echelon comes from scala, a Latin word meaning "ladder" that is also the source of French eschelon, meaning "rung of a ladder." Over time, the French word came to mean "step," "grade," or "level." English borrowed the word and upped its meaning to "a level or category within an organisation or group of people."
Example: "[Amy Schneider] is already the highest-earning female contestant in 'Jeopardy!' history and is the first transgender contestant to qualify for the 'Tournament of Champions' round. But she still has a ways to go before further cementing herself in the upper echelons of 'Jeopardy!' history." — Brian Boyle

THE ODD WORD

Ecophobia
Fear of home.

PHRASE OF THE DAY

Easier said than done

Meaning: 'Easier Said than Done' is said of a task that is easier to talk about than to do.
Origin: Like so many popular sayings, the origin of the idiom 'easier said than done' can be found in venerable literature. This common expression was first seen in print in the Terentius Afer's 1483 book, Vulgaria Terentii, and was worded in the language of the day as: "It is easyer to saye than to do."
Example: "Finding a good job is easier said than done."

QUOTE BOX

Greatness is not a flower that grows in an easy life; it grows in the adversity of life.— **Debasish Mridha**

RIDDLE THIS

Solve the rebus:

B B B

Answer: Freebies.

CROSS WORD

ACROSS:
1 Binet-Simon test measurements
4 List of details
8 Chow mein enhancer
11 Maui garland
12 From alpha to ___ : from A to Z?
14 Expert or adept
15 Advertisements, in short?
16 Water holes
17 Smokin' ___ : Vivian Richard's pet name?
18 Centuries for cricketers?
20 Circular band
22 Naval Officer In Charge
24 Be on your guard
26 Canned fish
27 Central theme
28 Hasten or hurry in archaic English
29 Boatswain
30 KLM competitor
33 Capital of Vietnam
34 Tiny amount
35 City in SW Iran
37 Relief of stomach gas, especially for a babe in arms
38 Suspended
39 Of great extent
41 Munich the
42 Surpass
45 Little Edward
48 Americas org.
49 French river
50 61 in Roman numerals
51 Air Data Tester
52 Pulpit
53 Greek goddess of the dawn

DOWN
1 ___ Arun : Bollywood singer?
2 Letters to end a theorem
3 Vatican chapel
4 Soft fine feathers
5 Ex-England wicket keeper Leslie ___
6 ___ Aviv : capital of Israel?
7 Above ground level
8 A person of legal age
9 Range
10 A horsy command?
13 Indian off-spinner Ravichandran _____
19 Wood sorrel
21 Loutish dolt
22 Last in a long line
23 Yes for the Frenchman
24 Subatomic particle
25 Needle case
27 Leonardo da Vinci's ___ Lisa
29 Emblems or signs; indications
30 Reusable space vehicle?
31 Expose for drying
32 Rockers Stone Temple Pilots
33 Chinese dynasty
34 Weight and Balance Sys.
35 In front or leading
36 Explode
39 ___ , Vidi, vici : I came, I saw, I conquered?
40 Malt beverages
41 1988 Dennis Quaid remake
43 Marked wrong
44 U.S. Security org.
46 Outer as a prefix ?
47 Prefix involving reversal of action or state

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER

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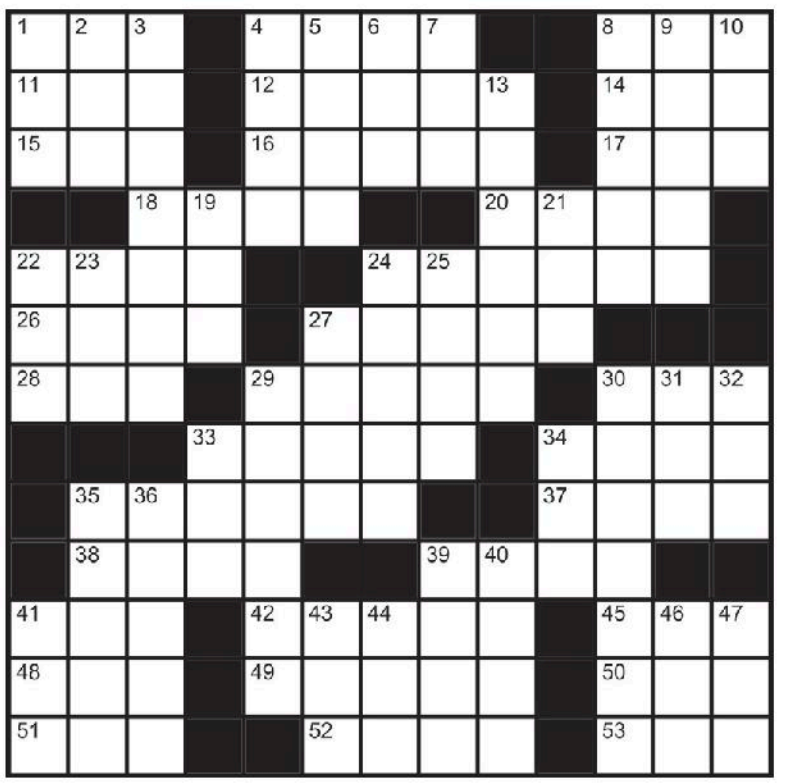

SUDOKU

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8								5
	3	4	9				1	
			7				9	
	9	7	6					3
			3					7

Answer to previous puzzle

9	3	5	7	1	4	2	6	8
6	1	8	3	2	9	5	4	7
7	4	2	6	5	8	1	9	3
8	5	3	1	4	2	6	7	9
2	6	4	8	9	7	3	5	1
1	9	7	5	3	6	4	8	2
5	2	9	4	7	1	8	3	6
3	8	1	9	6	5	7	2	4
4	7	6	2	8	3	9	1	5

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level of the Concept is Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday.

CRYPTOQUIP

The Cryptoquip is a substitution cipher in which one letter stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words and words using an apostrophe give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is by trial and error.

KQ TZQ ZAJWC CM CTGQ TPTZD TC CWQ YAZRC

QSEQZADQLC IEML MIZ PANQZCAQR.

TODAY'S CLUE: C EQUALS T

Yesterday's Cryptoquip: There is no mistaking a real book when one meets it. It is like falling in love.

NOW SHOWING - MOVIES

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- **Woodlands Theatre** — Ph: 2422871
  Love Mocktail 2 (K) - 4 Shows
- **Sangam Theatre** — Ph: 2520494
  By Two Love (K) 4 Shows
- **Padma Theatre** — Ph: 2521923
  By Two Love (K) 4 Shows
- **Thibbadevi Theatre** — Ph: 2452958
  By Two Love (K) 4 Shows
- **Mahadeshwara Theatre** — Mob: 9900820093
  Varada (K) - 4 Shows
- **Lido Theatre** — Ph: 2420885
  Bahukrita Vesham (K) - 4 Shows
- **Rajkamal Theatre** — Ph: 2423554
  Uncharted (E) - 4 Shows
- **Balaji Theatre** — Ph: 2497199
  Majestic (K) - 4 Shows

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Love Mocktail 2 (K)	(S-1)	10.20 am, 1.15 pm, 4.10 pm 7.05 pm, 10.00 pm
By Two Love (K)	(S-2)	10.15 am, 1.30 pm 4.25 pm, 7.10
	(S-3)	10.00 pm
Uncharted (E)	(S-2)	9.55 pm
	(S-3)	11.00 am, 1.30 pm, 4.10 pm
Old Monk (K)	(S-3)	7.10 pm
	(S-4)	7.00 pm
Neyyattinkara Gopante Aarattu (Ma)	(S-4)	9.55 pm

INOX LIVE THE MOVIE — Ph: 2533444 / 2533456

Love Mocktail 2 (K)	(S-1)	9.50 am, 3.45 pm, 9.45 pm
	(S-2)	12.50 pm, 6.55 pm
	(S-3)	8.45 pm
Uncharted (E)	(S-1)	12.55 pm, 6.55 pm
	(S-2)	9:55 pm
	(S-4)	9.45 am
Gilky (K)	(S-4)	12.35 pm
Bytwo Love (K)	(S-2)	9.50 am; (S-3) 5.35 pm
Majestic (K)	(S-3)	2.15 pm
Varada (K)	(S-4)	3.35 pm
Neyyattinkara Gopante Aarattu (Ma)	(S-4)	9.50 pm
Bhavachitra (K)	(S-4)	6.35 pm
Bahukrutha Vesham (K)	(S-3)	11.15 am
Badhaai Do (H)	(S-2)	3.50 pm

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Uncharted (E)	11.00 am, 1.45 pm, 4.30 pm 7.15 pm, 10.00 PM
Neyyattinkara Gopante Aaraattu (Ma)	3.15 pm, 9.45 pm
By Two Love (K)	12.10 pm, 6.50 pm
Before You Die (H)	3.50 pm, 9.30 pm
Bhavachitra (K)	6.15 pm
Son Of India (Te)	9.55 pm
Varada (K)	12.35 pm
Gilky (K)	12.45 pm
DJ Tillu (Te)	3.35 pm
Khiladi (Te)	6.25 pm

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Love Mocktail 2 (K)	9.40 am, 11.45 am, 12.45 pm, 2.50 pm 3.50 pm, 5.55 pm, 6.55 pm, 9 pm, 10 pm
By Two Love (K)	10.25 am, 3.20 pm
Majestic (K)	12.15 pm
Uncharted (E)	1.30 pm, 4.15 pm, 7.00 pm, 9.45 pm
Varada (K)	6.30 pm
DJ Tillu (Te)	9.30 pm

MYSURU VISION CINEMAS — Ph: 0821 - 2973519

Maha Rowdram (K)	(S-1)	10.50 am
Varada (K)	(S-1)	1.15 pm; (S-4) 7.00 pm
By Two Love (K)	(S-1)	4.00 pm, 9.15 pm
	(S-3)	10.40 am, 1.30 pm
Bahukritha Vesham (K)	(S-1)	6.45 pm
Love Mocktail 2 (K)	(S-2)	10.45 am, 1.30 pm, 4.15 pm, 7 pm
	(S-3)	9.15 pm
Uncharted (E)	(S-3)	4.15 pm, 6.15 pm
Garudaksha (K)	(S-4)	10.45 am
Majestic (K)	(S-4)	1.15 pm
Gilky (K)	(S-4)	4.15 pm

NOTE: Movie timings published here are subject to sudden change by the theatre managements. The films are also liable to be changed in multiplexes if there are no minimum audience of 15 to the film announced here.

City students excel in Yoga

The prize winning students — Harshitha, M.D. Vaishnavi, Vedika Manya Shivam and Rajath Giri — are seen with Yoga Teacher H.M. Ravanikar and Principal S.M. Sathya Sulochana.

Mysuru, Feb. 23- The following students of Sree Nataraja Public School, Sree Hosamutt, Shankar Mutt Road, participated in the Sub-Junior Boys and Sub-Junior Girls Artistic Group in the 'Karnataka Individual Yogasana Sports Championship - 2021,' organised by Karnataka Yogasana Sports Association, Bengaluru, at Haveri on Oct. 25 and have won prizes:

M.D. Vaishnavi (VI std.) - 1st prize; Vedika Manya Shivam (V std.) - 1st prize (Yoga Kishori); Neeraj Rajiv Shivam (VII std.) - 1st prize; Rajath Giri (VI std.) - 1st prize (Yoga Kishora); Harshitha (IV std.) - 1st prize (Yoga Kishori).

BGS School of Yoga had awarded these students with 'Yoga Kishora' and 'Yoga Kishori' titles for outstanding performance, dedication and commitment towards promotion and propagation in the field of yoga.

Yoga Teacher H.M. Ravanikar has been awarded the title of 'Yoga Shree.'

This senior citizen runs on all 365 days !

Mysuru, Feb. 23 - G. Mohan, a retired Assistant Controller of Defense - Accounts Department (IDAS) and a resident of Srirampura in city, has successfully run on all the 365 days in 2021 and covered 6,012.85 km.

"To keep myself fit and healthy, I took running as a workout. I have no medical ailments. Anybody can run or walk to keep fit. I wanted to advocate Fit India Movement launched by our PM," says the 73-year-young Mohan.

"CYRUNS, Ahmedabad, after verification of my uploads from Strava App, tracking my daily running, has issued a certificate," he adds.

G. Mohan

EVENTS TODAY (FEB. 23)

- **Sahara Art and Crafts:** Shopping Festival, Handicraft and Handloom Expo-cum-Sale, Scouts & Guides Ground, behind DC office, **up to 9.30 pm.**
- **Karnataka Exhibition Authority (KEA) and Tourism Department:** Exhibition-2022, Dasara Exhibition Grounds, **up to 9 pm.**
- **Sri Krishna Gana Sabha, Mysuru:** 20th annual celebrations, Music Concerts, Tyagaraja and Purandara Dasa Aradhana Mahotsava, Birth Centenary Celebration of Bharata Ratna Pandit Bhimsen Joshi, inauguration by Amshi Prasannakumar, Executive Editor, Kannada Prabha, Dr. N. Chandrashekar, Managing Director, Aditya Hospital, Gokulam, chief guest, B.S. Sridhara Raj Urs, President, Sri Krishna Gana Sabha, presides; Portrait unveiling and Hindustani Music — Vocal concert by Pt. Ramesh Kolkunda, accompanied by Pt. Keshav Joshi on tabla and Pt. Yagnesh Bhagavat on harmonium, Alwar Kalabhavana, Gokulam 3rd Stage, **6 pm.**
- **Rotary Mysore Midtown:** Peace and Conflict Resolution Month - February, felicitating ***Padma Shri* awardee Manjamma Jogati,** President, Karnataka Janapada Academy, theatre artiste and folk singer, transgender activist, Geetha Prasanna, DCP (Crime & Traffic), guest of honour, RCL Hall, JLB Road,**6.30 pm.**

EVENTS TOMORROW (FEB. 24)

- **Sri Krishna Gana Sabha, Mysuru:** 20th annual celebrations, Sangeetha Kala Shikhamani Piteel Chowdiah's Jayanti celebration, Violin Duet by Vid. K.J. Dileep and Vidu. Ila Sangeetha Dileep, accompanied by Vid. S.P. Nagendra Prasad on mridanga and Vid. Sunaad Anoor on kanjira, Alwar Kalabhavana, Gokulam 3rd Stage, **6 pm.**

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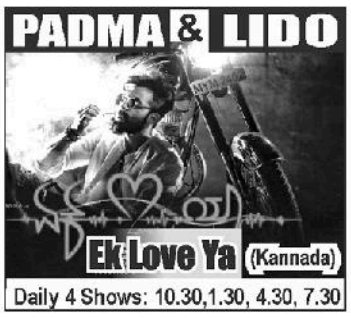

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